(3) if not, will they be pleased to make a rule making it obligatory on the jail authorities to do so?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayya.—(1) Yes.

(2) Yes.

(3) Does not arise in view of the answer to (1).

Clerks—Huzur Secretariat.

87. **Mr. A. V. Mootheda.**—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a list of the permanent and officiating clerks in the Huzur Secretariat on the scale of Rs. 25—40 according to their seniority?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayur.—A list containing the information is appended. *(Appendix VII.)*

Appointment—Huzur Secretariat.

88. **Mr. C. R. Iyyunni.**—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether anybody from foreign service has been appointed in the Huzur Secretariat within the last six months;

(b) if so, why was it done;

(c) whether the claims of those in service with the same educational qualification have not been adversely affected;

(d) what is the special qualification he possesses?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayya—(a) Yes.

(b) Because he would make useful officer in the Huzur Secretariat.

(c) Higher appointments are generally guided by the principle of selection and so the question of claims does not arise.

(d) He has experience in the Sandur Secretariat besides the test qualifications of the Madras Government.

Cranganur Munsiff's Court.

89. **Mr. P. Govinda Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(1) The number of villages of the Mukundapuram and Cochin-Kanayannur Taluks respectively under the jurisdiction of the Cranganur Munsiff's Court.

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